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As below named inventors, we hereby declare that:

Our residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to our names;

We believe we are the original, first and joint inventors of the subject matter which is described and claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention, design or discovery entitled "A Process Using Water Tolerant Lewis Acids in Catalytic Hydration of Alkylene Oxides to Alkylene Glycols", the specification of which is attached hereto;

We have reviewed and understand the contents of the aboveidentified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above;

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We acknowledge our duty to disclose information of which we are aware which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with 37 C.F.R. Section 1.56(a).

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